

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

BRIDGESTONE SPORTS CO., LTD.,
and BRIDGESTONE GOLF, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ACUSHNET COMPANY,

Defendant.

C. A. No. 05-132 (JJF)

**BRIDGESTONE'S FIRST NOTICE OF DEPOSITION
PURSUANT TO RULE 30(b)(6)**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6), Plaintiff Bridgestone Sports Co., Ltd. ("Bridgestone") shall take the deposition upon oral examination under oath of Defendant Acushnet Company ("Acushnet") beginning at 9:00 a.m., February 14, 2006, and continuing from day to day thereafter until completed, at the offices of Sughrue Mion, PLLC, 2100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20001, or at such other time and place as may be agreed upon by counsel. The deposition will be recorded by stenographic means and may be videotaped, and is being taken for the purposes of discovery, for use at trial, and for such other purposes as permitted under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

In accordance with Rule 30(b)(6), Acushnet shall designate one or more officers, directors, managing agents, or other persons to testify on its behalf concerning the matters set forth in Attachment A hereto.

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ATTACHMENT A

Notwithstanding any definition set forth below, each word, term, or phrase used in this Notice of Deposition is intended to have the broadest meaning permitted under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

DEFINITIONS

As used herein, the following terms are to be interpreted in accordance with the DEFINITIONS set forth in Bridgestone's First Set of Requests For Production of Documents and Things (Request Nos. 1-100) as though fully set forth herein.

In addition, the following phrase in this Notice is to be interpreted in accordance with the following definition:

37. The phrase "Related Patents or Applications" means any patents or patent applications, whether issued, pending, abandoned, or otherwise, related to a patent, including any parents, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, provisionals, reexaminations, reissues, and foreign counterparts.

MATTERS ON WHICH EXAMINATION IS REQUESTED

1. The conception, reduction to practice, diligence up to reduction to practice and other development activities or alleged inventive activities for the subject matter of the '976 patent, including the claims of the '976 patent.

2. The preparation, filing and prosecution of the application which resulted in the issuance of the '976 patent and its Related Patents or Applications.

3. The methods and apparatus employed by Acushnet to generate, measure, calculate, and/or determine aerodynamic characteristics of golf balls, including but not limited to lift coefficient, drag coefficient, spin ratio, Reynolds Number, magnitude of aerodynamic force (C_{mag}), and angle of aerodynamic force (Angle).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on January 25, 2006, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF, which will send notification of such filing to Richard L. Horwitz.

I further certify on January 25, 2006, copies of the foregoing document were served upon counsel of record in the manner indicated:

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